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ONE DOLLAR A YEAR

ZELAYA SAID TO HAVE BURNED AMERICANS

This Is Report That Reaches This Country--Did It to Make Identification Impossible.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—President Zelaya has not only refused to take official cognizance of Secretary Knox's ultimatum, but he is declared to have dispatched special agents to Washington to endeavor to have the State Department's ultimatum set aside first by appeals to that department, and secondly by direct appeals to members of Congress. The State Department is entirely aware of the presence and activity of these emissaries. These special agents are being watched in a general way.

It was reported yesterday that any attempt that Zelaya might make to escape from the country would receive the direct and vigorous attention of the American warships now lying off the coasts of Nicaragua. Secretary Knox's note indicated in the plainest language that the State Department looks upon Zelaya as the man responsible for the torture and death of the two Americans, Groce and Cannon.

The plan to deflect the United States government program with reference to Nicaragua came to light last night when Senor Fernando Sanchez and Dr. V. M. Roman arrived here. Neither Senor Sanchez nor Dr. Roman would talk. They gave their address as New York.

Members of the Central American diplomatic corps, however, were in a better mood when they discovered the new arrivals. Senor Sanchez, they declared, is a partner of Zelaya in many of the latter's business ventures in Nicaragua, and he has managed to make a fortune of between four and five million dollars in gold. Dr. Roman, the report continued, long has been Senor Sanchez's business adviser, and he also is a close friend and adviser of Zelaya.

During the afternoon and early evening more than a score of telegrams were dispatched from Senor Sanchez's rooms. Almost an equally large number were received. This telegraphic activity, the Central American insist, is aimed at members of Congress, with a view of winning over enough of them to render the administration's present program inoperative.

In the event it is presented to Congress.

Dr. Salvador Castriello, the diplomatic agent of the provisional government of Nicaragua and representative of the revolutionists here, yesterday made formal request to Secretary Knox that he be received on equal terms with the agents of the Zelaya government. It is generally believed that Dr. Castriello's request will be granted.

While making all preparations for action, this Government has resumed the calm that preceded the issue of Secretary Knox's note. There were no developments in the State Department yesterday.

To all appearances the department is "marking time" until occasion arrives for further action.

In explanation of the status of American consular officers in Nicaragua, it was said yesterday that in all probability the Nicaraguan consuls in this country would not be disturbed for the present at least, nor was it thought that the American consuls in Nicaragua would be required to leave that country.

BURNED GROCE AND CANNON.

Zelaya Burned Their Bodies, According to Report.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 4.—The bodies of Leroy Cannon and Leonard Groce, the two Americans executed by order of President Zelaya of Nicaragua, were burned, declared passengers arriving here yesterday from Nicaraguan ports on the steamer Dictator. It was reported that incineration was resorted to to conceal the means of identification. Afterwards, it was said, Zelaya found it was impossible to conceal the fact that the Americans had been killed, and was forced to make a report to this effect to the State Department at Washington.

Passengers on the Dictator say that all is quiet in the vicinity of Bluefields, and there was no indications at the time of the Dictator's departure, six days ago, of any advance being made on the Bluefields section by the forces of Zelaya.

Accident to Little Child.

William, the three-year-old son of J. H. Reed, who resides in the northern part of the city, was the victim of a most painful accident two or three days ago which nearly cost him his life, and which will leave a life-long scar as a reminder.

The little fellow was playing in the yard of where a colored boy was working, when he got under the hoe in

some way, and the weapon came down upon his head, inflicting a long and ugly-looking gash, which bled freely.

He stood his pain manfully, however, and is rapidly recovering, although the mark will be left to tell the tale.

The orange crop at Ankona will amount to about 800 boxes this season.

Sea Island Cotton Market Ranges Somewhat Lower

SAVANNAH, Dec. 4.—The Sea Island cotton market was dull and easy with considerable irregularity. A moderate concession in prices was made, and sales being reported even lower than the quotations. At the close the market was about steady. The two main grades are still nominal, there being no stock.

For the week, 1,218 bales.

The following prices were based on the quotations and are revised daily.

Fancy Floridas27 1/2 @ 28
Fancy Georgias27 1/2 @ 28
Ex. choice Floridas26 @ 27
Ex. choice Georgias25 @ 26 1/2
Choice Ga's. and Fla's.25
Ex. fine Ga's. and Fla's.22 @ 22 1/2
Fine Ga's. and Fla's.18 @ 18 1/2
Com. Ga's. and Fla's.15

Charleston, S. C., Dec. 4.—Sea Island: Market quiet and nominal. Fine, 23c; fully fine, 25c; extra fine, 27c. Receipts, 867. Exports—Stock, 3,253; sales, 25 "crop lot" on private terms.

MRS. COLSON WAS VICTIM OF ROBBERY

WHILE ON HER WAY HOME BURLY NEGRO SNATCHED PURSE.

Bold Attempt Under a Bright Light, But No One Sufficiently Near to Render Assistance.

From Sunday's Daily Sun:

The second depredation of purse-snatching within three days was demonstrated Saturday night, when Mrs. J. H. Colson was assaulted and her purse taken away from her with deliberation under the brilliant glow of an electric light, and the thief escaped without being apprehended.

This bold thief was evidently the same fellow who snatched the purse of Mrs. M. H. McClamroch on Thursday night, and who was never captured. Feeling confident from the fact that he was not captured Thursday night, he was encouraged, and made another effort with success upon Mrs. Colson.

The story of Mrs. McClamroch and her experience has already been published in The Sun. Notwithstanding that every effort was made by Rev. S. B. Rogers and others to catch the thief, he escaped, which gave him courage, and there is no doubt but that this man who snatched Mrs. Colson's purse is one and the same.

Mrs. Colson was on her way home about six o'clock in the evening, and when at a point between the Jewels Laundry and the Tabernacle she was suddenly attacked, and recognized the man as a negro, and the description, as she recognized him, was identical to that of the man who had assaulted Mrs. McClamroch two nights before. There was no one near, however, and the negro made his escape in the direction of the school grounds, which are enshrouded in darkness.

Officers were notified, but up to going to press last night there was no evidence to suspicion anyone.

This pocketbook snatcher may try a few more of his stunts, but if he is ever caught it cannot be assured what will become of him.

From Sunday's Daily Sun:

James M. Turner of the Micanopy section, one of Alachua county's most widely-known citizens, died at the Odd Fellows' Sanitarium about 7 o'clock Saturday morning from blood poison, resulting from a severe carbuncle on his neck.

Deceased had been suffering from the carbuncle for several days, when it was found that an operation would be necessary. He was brought to the Sanitarium for that purpose, and the operation performed, but the affliction had reached such a stage that blood poison resulted, and he breathed his last from this cause.

Deceased was about fifty years of age, and is survived by a wife and several children, to all of whom the sympathy of friends is extended.

The remains were taken to Micanopy by private conveyance yesterday, and the funeral will be held there today.

DEATH OF J. M. TURNER.

One of Alachua County's Well-Known Citizen Passed Away.

Will Go to New Mexico.

From Sunday's Daily Sun:

Mrs. G. Henry Futch has arrived in the city from Knoxville, where she has been residing for the past few months, and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Futch, East Church street. Mr. Futch is expected in a few days, and after spending a short while here Mr. and Mrs. Futch will go to New Mexico, where they will make their future home. Both young people are well known and popular here, and their numerous friends will be delighted to greet them through the holidays.

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to be one of the biggest questions before the American people. Along with the upward tariff revision it is certain to be the absorbing issue in the Congressional elections of 1911.

The appropriations for next year aggregate \$1,044,014,298, or more than \$12 per capita if distributed to the individual. Seventy millions of dollars of increase in expenses is occasioned by the addition in the last eight years of 99,225 Federal officeholders. The present standing army of the United States numbers only about 65,000 men.

Under the estimates already arranged for the Taft administration, the money-spending campaign promises to reach a higher mark than during the Roosevelt administration, when the deficit was the largest ever faced by the Government.

A reign of wastefulness started in with the day Grover Cleveland turned over the administration to his successor, William McKinley. Figures tell a story so momentous it is almost impossible to fully comprehend it. The aggregate appropriation for the last Cleveland administration was \$1,574,105,556, and the aggregate appropriation for the last Roosevelt administration \$3,214,993,198—twice the sum required to run the Government under Cleveland.

Here is the way the expenditures have been creeping up:

Appropriations Last Biennial Period.

Cleveland administration. \$ 954,493,055

McKinley administration. 1,478,886,291

Roosevelt administration. 2,555,236,796

Taft (estimated first biennial period)..... 2,500,000,000

Mr. Chesnut Improving.

Friends of James Chesnut of Alachua, who has been quite ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. B. F. Jordan, in this city, will be pleased to learn that the condition of the patient is very much improved, and the chances for his recovery are now good, in the event that there is no relapse.

Mr. Chesnut's condition for a day or two was considered serious in the extreme, but at the last moment there occurred a change for the better.

Dorothy Bullard Recovered.

Little Dorothy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bullard, who had the misfortune to break an arm by falling several days ago, has sufficiently recovered to be "called well" again, as she expresses it, which will be gratifying to her numerous little friends.

Little Miss Dorothy suffered severely for a few days, but bore her pain patiently, which was admired by the attending physician and friends.

A Bad Dog.

In reference to the ferocious dog which was killed by Mr. Waters on Friday afternoon, Capt. Elmore informs the reporter that the canine had been given him a few hours before the killing by Mr. Simpson, and he had turned it over to Jeff Simons for keeping until Saturday, when he intended sending the dog to his farm in the country. From all we can learn, the dog was not afflicted with hydrophobia, being perfectly docile towards Mr. Simpson and Capt. Elmore, but it was ferocious towards other canines and had masticated several of them on nights previous to its being killed.

Another ferocious dog is said to be still at large, and no one can be blamed for killing dogs of such nature.

Another ferocious dog was killed by J. H. Avera early Saturday morning. The animal had attacked Mr. Avera's dogs in the wood house and was attacking W. C. Matheson's dog when Mr. Avera killed him.

Thirty Men Are Drowned By Sinking of Steamer

LONDON, Dec. 4.—In a terrific gale that raged yesterday over the British Isles the steamer Thistlebreeze went to her doom off Appledere in Barnstable bay. It is believed her entire crew of thirty men perished. Four bodies from the steamer already have been washed ashore.

The Thistlebreeze was in command of Capt. Yeo and was bound from Liverpool for an American port.

Small vessels everywhere were at the mercy of the elements and Florida reports eight of them having

been driven ashore at various points. Their crews, however, all escaped. The British steamer Congress, which arrived at Falmouth yesterday, reported that during the storm her captain, the mate and one seaman were washed overboard by mountainous seas. The seaman was picked up, but the captain and mate were lost.

The British steamer Thistlebreeze was of 4,000 tons and was built in 1906 at Stockton, England. She was owned by the Albany Line of Sunderland.

EDUCATORS TO MEET AT DELAND DEC. 28

PREPARATIONS BEING MADE FOR
RECEPTION OF DELEGATES.

Meeting Bids Fair to Break All Previous Records in Point of Attendance and Enthusiasm.

DELAND, Fla., Dec. 1.—The official program of the Florida State Educational Association has been announced. Prof. F. A. Hathaway, principal of the Duval High School, Jacksonville, is president of the association. Dr. Edward Conradi, president of the Woman's College, Tallahassee, is chairman of the executive committee.

The program announced is a strong one. President Blackman of Rollins College, President Hulley of Stetson University, Prof. Boyd of the Woman's College, Prof. Vernon of the State University, and a score of other distinguished educators have been assigned to places on the program.

The meetings will be held Dec. 28-31 in the auditorium of Stetson University, and in the Assembly Hall of the DeLand public schools.

The College Arms Hotel, which is one of the very finest in the State, will be the headquarters of the association. The manager of this great tourist hotel has fixed a rate of \$2.50 per day. The Putnam Inn and a score of other good hotels and boarding-houses have fixed a rate of from \$1 to \$1.50 per day.

All the railroads of Florida have fixed a rate of a single fare plus 25 cents for the round trip. Tickets will be on sale Dec. 26, 27 and 28th, and will be good for return leaving DeLand as late as Jan. 1.

The citizens of DeLand will tender the visiting educators and their friends a public reception in the splendid parlors of Chaudoin Hall.

The city of DeLand will be beautifully decorated with the national colors in honor of the delegates. It is estimated that more than a thousand dollars will be expended by the people, through their local committee, in making special preparations for the approaching meeting. More than a thousand delegates will attend from all parts of the State.

The railroad companies will put on extra coaches to accommodate the crowds.

The people of DeLand have organized a local committee and eight sub-committees to take charge of various details of preparation and nothing is being left undone which will in any way contribute to the success of this meeting.

County superintendents and school board members, school principals and teachers in large numbers have already reserved rooms.

Special announcements of the program and of the special features of entertainment are being mailed to all interested in education in Florida by Prof. Suhrie and his sub-committee on publicity and correspondence.

President Hathaway expresses himself as very much gratified with the unusual activity of the people of DeLand in preparing for a great gathering. It is hoped that this meeting may be a fitting climax to Florida's great educational revival.

If you are suffering from biliousness, constipation, indigestion, chronic headache, invest one cent in a postal card, send to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, with your name and address plainly on the back, and they will forward you a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Sold by all druggists.

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Mrs. N. E. Carter, 108 W. McCormick street, Gainesville, Fla., says: "My son complained of a weak back and pains across his kidneys for some time. He came home at night, tired and hardly able to eat anything. It was difficult for him to assume a comfortable position and he felt generally miserable. Finally he decided to give Doan's Kidney Pills a trial and procured a box. This remedy soon removed all signs of kidney trouble and he has had no return of it since."

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THURSDAY'S RAIN.

Nature Favored Truckers and Farmers With Good Showers.

After a long drought which has caused the loss of hundreds of dollars to the farmers and truckers of this section, nature wept over her cruel treatment Thursday, with the result that a good, steady rain prevailed the greater part of the day.

This rain had a tendency to make the dust into mud. It might have afforded to give the children an excellent opportunity to play "mud pie" on the labor-saving plan, but pedestrians were very much provoked at the condition of the streets, which in some places were almost impassable.

The rain proved a God-send to the tiller of the soil, however, and there should be no kick coming from any quarter.

WILL PAY OFF TEACHERS.

School Board Will Hold Special Meeting December 23rd.

With a desire to pay off the teachers in the various schools throughout the county before Christmas, the school board will meet in special session on the 23rd inst. for that especial purpose.

This meeting will afford Superintendent Kelley to mail out the warrants to all parts of the county in time for the faithful teachers to secure their money in time for Christmas, whether they need it or not.

A Hearty Appetite

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Mr. Chesnut Very Ill.

From Friday's Daily Sun:

Friends of James Chesnut of Alachua will regret to learn that he is seriously ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. B. F. Jordan, North Oak avenue, this city, and it is expected that the end is not far off.

For the past few days the patient has been surrounded by his wife and two affectionate daughters, Mrs. Jordan of this city and Mrs. Scriven Dosier of Jacksonville, who, with the aid of the best medical treatment, have done everything in their power for his safety.

Messrs. Scriven Dosier and Charles Chesnut arrived in the city from Jacksonville yesterday, having been summoned by telegraph.

The Correct Time

To stop a cough or cold is just as soon as it starts—then there will be no danger of pneumonia or consumption. Just a few doses of Ballard's Horehound Syrup taken at the start will stop the cough. If it has been running on for sometime the treatment will be longer, but the cure is sure. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

See "Want" ads. bring results.

W. C. T. U. MEETS AT PLANT CITY

GAINESVILLIANS HEARTILY RECEIVED BY PLANT CITY FOLKS.

Welcome Night Was Appropriately Carried Out by Citizens, Business Men and Children.

(By Special Correspondent.)

PLANT CITY, Fla., Dec. 2.—The Gainesville delegation to the W. C. T. U. convention write from Plant City that welcome from the moment you alight from the cars has been so genuine and complete that the very keys of the city have been turned over to them. For the present at least Plant City is for temperance. One hundred and thirty-six delegates in attendance on the convention. Well may the opposition tremble.

Welcome night was all the name implies. These welcomes were given by young people representing the city, the union, the churches, the press, the schools. Hosts were stirred as never before as these bright, enthusiastic young people in language appropriate extended the welcome which made the visitors feel glad they came beside the welcome.

Drills, songs, and pantomimes by the children entertained the larger audience. At the close a delightfully planned and executed reception was tendered the delegation. This closed a very full day.

Wednesday Morning.

The convention was called to order by the president, Miss Neal of DeLand. Devotional exercises led by Mrs. McCrory of DeLand. This prepared the convention for work in hand bringing the members in touch with the Divine, after singing the wonderful "Glory Song," "Florida Free." The singing of this song created an enthusiasm which gave its expression in a "yell" from the Tampa delegation. This innovation came as a surprise but was caught up by the convention.

Order being restored, the routine of business was taken up. Reports of district secretaries were called for. These reports showed good work done. At this point Miss Mary Harris Armour was introduced to the convention as a "Florida belle." Miss Armour responded in her usual unique and original manner.

One minute with each of the local presidents. These minutes were well spent in giving the weak and strong points of their unions.

Oh, woman, great is thy faith! Be it unto thee even as thou wilt. Matt. 15:28. Death closes the door of opportunity.

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I have used Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for some time, and can testify that they have done me more good than any tablets I have ever used. My trouble was a heavy dull feeling after eating.—David Freeman, Kempt, Nova Scotia. These tablets strengthen the stomach and improve the digestion. They also regulate the liver and bowels. They are far superior to pills but cost no more. Get a free sample at any drug store and see what a splendid medicine it is.

Death of Colored Man.

John Brigham, an old and highly respected colored man of this city, died Wednesday, after an illness covering a period of several weeks.

The funeral was held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. Gardner, of the A. M. E. church, officiating.

Deceased is survived by a good wife and several children, to whom the sympathy of both white and colored friends is extended.

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Persons who come to Florida and fail to visit Gainesville will miss seeing the prettiest town in the State.

The Tampa Tribune and Times are at least agreed upon one thing—that Senator Tallaferra (Tolliver) should be re-elected.

The English say the trouble with American football is that it is not football at all. Well, we know there is a lot of kicking about it.

Public school officials of a Long Island town are wrought up over the question, "Does a gentleman smoke?" The real test is not whether he smokes, but what.

The Tampa Tribune says "the Alabama result means simply that the people have a limit of endurance." Yes; the people always tire of having it rubbed into them.

The over-zealous prohibs defeated real temperance in Alabama, just as their "rampantness" defeated Stockton for Governor of Florida. You can LEAD the people, but you cannot DRIVE them.

The high price obtained for the cotton crop of 1909 will no doubt result in an increased acreage of the staple in 1910. Our farmer friends should not repeat the folly of past years, however, and neglect the cultivation of cereal crops, as well as the raising of stock of various kinds. Make it a point to raise what you need to live upon.

The ladies of the Cemetery Association are engaged in the laudable work of constructing a hard road from the cemetery gate to connect with the piece of driveway built some years ago in that portion of the burial ground known as the old cemetery. They have not sufficient funds in hand to complete the work, but they have faith that those who have dear ones resting in the cemetery will not see the road remain uncompleted. If you want to help in this laudable work, send your contribution to Mrs. F. D. Warner or Mrs. H. H. McCreary.

Doubt is now expressed in some quarters as to Broward's running for the Senate. Probably he is now too busy looking after his reported one-fourth interest in the lands reclaimed in the Everglades (which he was to save for the dear people instead of himself, Jennings, Bowles, et al.) to waste his time and money running for the Senate. The Sun believes, however, that Broward will make the race. He has his heart set upon a seat in the Senate, and now that he has become well fixed financially through his connection with the drainage scheme, he believes that he will stand a better chance to win the prize.

A short time ago in New York a divorce was granted to a member of a family noted for its wealth and social position. In that State divorce can be granted for but one cause, and in the case above referred to the utmost secrecy prevailed, not a single detail being made public. If this was done for the one purpose of not gratifying morbid tastes for scandalous and degrading details it was well. But if, as suspected, it was done simply out of regard for the wealth and social standing of the family, it was not well. One does not like to criticize the courts, but the courts would be less criticised if they gave less cause for criticism.

A SOURCE OF MR. CANNON'S ASSURANCE.

Speaker Cannon's last public utterance bearing upon the insurgents of his party, says The Asheville (N. C.) Gazette-News, was upon the occasion of the Knife and Fork Club banquet at Kansas City. Literally and metaphorically speaking, the knives, if not the forks, went flying through the air while the speaker held the floor, and his conclusion was that: "The demagogue we have always with us and as ours is a government of people, the only way to dispose of him is to move on. I am perfectly willing to trust the verdict of a prosperous and happy people in the selections in November, 1910, after the new tariff law has been in operation for over a year."

This sounds fair and reasonable enough, on its face, especially when Mr. Cannon seems to repose his trust in the dear people. It is just possible, however, that Mr. Cannon is able to view the approaching Congressional elections without that degree of alarm which he might feel did he not know, in reason, what the attitude of certain corporate interests will be, interests that have received favors in the way of advantageous tariff schedules. And it by no means follows that a returning wave of prosperity may be properly attributed to the new tariff bill. We have had prosperity before, in spite of, and not because of a tariff bill that was full of antiquities and inequalities. The Dingley law was known to be so imperfect that its friends, driven by public sentiment, felt impelled to revise the measure in some notable respects.

THE VERDICT NEEDED.

The decision of the Federal Court looking to the dissolution of the Standard Oil Company is regarded as a great victory for the Government, but it is yet too soon to determine how great or small the victory really is. Of course there is an appeal to a higher court and it is a peculiar fact that on these trust cases the decision of one court is very likely to be reversed by the court to which the appeal is taken. But even if the decision of Justices Sanborn, Vandeveter, Hook and Adams is sustained the Standard Oil Company will probably find some way of continuing business at the old stand and very much on the old lines.

To be sure if even a moral victory only is won, that will be something, as it will show that the trusts are not altogether beyond the power of the courts and, besides, it will be an encouragement to further and more drastic action.

But trust magnates, found guilty of law-breaking, are not at all sensitive to moral defeats. On such matters they seem to be impervious to any sense of shame or honor. They go right on with the same determination to violate law in their own interests. Moral guilt fastens no stigma upon them; they are not ostracised from society, and those of them who are church members continue in "good and regular standing."

Something more than moral victories for the Government and people is needed. One sentence involving the grated door, stone cell, prison garb and prison fare would be far more effective in making guilty corporation officials see the errors of their way than any number of moral triumphs for the Government.

Just as all conservative persons expected, the prohibition amendment to the Alabama State constitution was defeated in the election held in that State last Monday. But no one dreamed that it would be so overwhelmingly defeated. The majority against the prohibition amendment was over twenty-five thousand. It simply shows that the people of Alabama are sick and tired of fanaticism and of persons going there from other States and taking charge of their political affairs under the guise of morality. The pendulum never swings so far but that it returns.—Jasper News.

St. Lucie county has just voted to issue bonds to the amount of two hundred thousand dollars for building good roads. Every county in which a vote has been taken for the past year for this purpose has returned a majority in favor of bonds. The good roads movement is certainly sweeping over Florida. Let the good work go on.

The best place to buy your goods is at the store which invites you to come through an ad. in The Sun.

PROHIBITION IN CONGRESS.

The Anti-Saloon League is going to make a strong effort this winter to have Congress enact legislation that will prevent the shipment of intoxicants into prohibition States, says The Savannah News. "On to Washington" will be the cry of the league, if the superintendents of the field work of the league understand the situation. They met in conference in Chicago on Tuesday and began planning their work for the coming year.

It isn't clear what Congress can do to assist the league in keeping liquor shipments out of the prohibition States. At its last session it passed a law preventing express companies from acting as agents of liquor houses. It was thought at the time that Congress went about as far as it legally could in aiding the prohibition cause. If the Anti-Saloon League can show it wherein it can constitutionally give additional assistance to the prohibition hearing, but it is certain that Congress will do nothing knowingly of doubtful constitutionality to help that or any other cause. Why should it? Unconstitutional laws would be set aside by the courts and Congress would be placed in the position of not knowing the constitution.

And Congress will take hold of anti-prohibition bills more carefully this winter than it did last winter. The result of the prohibition election in Alabama has raised a doubt as to whether the prohibition sentiment is as strong as it was thought to be. Last winter it looked as if prohibition was going to sweep the whole country, and Senators and Representatives were getting ready to bow to it. In most of the States, however, that had adopted State-wide prohibition there had been no expression of the people on the question at the polls. Legislatures, in response to appeals, had passed prohibition laws. The result in Alabama raises the question whether the people are yet ready to ratify the action of their legislatures. The statesmen at Washington will likely hesitate as to their course until they know more definitely what the wish of the majority in respect to prohibition legislation is. The average statesmen doesn't want to get ahead of the voters. He is responsive to the will of the majority. The Anti-Saloon League will have to go to Washington prepared to show that it represents the majority before it is likely to get much more additional legislation.

The result in Alabama doesn't mean that prohibition is going backward. As far as is yet apparent it only means that the prohibitionists have got ahead of the actual prohibition sentiment. They have secured more legislation than the majority stands for. By means of education they may be able to get the majority on their side. The statement of Governor Comer of Alabama that one and a half per cent of the population of Alabama are in the penitentiary, and that strong drink sent the most of them there is an educational fact that the prohibitionists can use with powerful effect.

FANATICISM.

Editor Caldwell of The Jasper News, who is a minister of the gospel, says:

"It seems that fanatics rule the Methodist church in Augusta, Ga.

"Not long since Rev. R. J. Bigham was appointed by his annual conference to serve that church as pastor for the ensuing year.

"Rev. Bigham, according to report, is a man of scholarly attainments, an eloquent preacher and an indefatigable church worker. But three years, or more, ago he happened to get intoxicated, for which he was, for a while, suspended from his ministerial functions.

"Now then, for this one lapse, for which Rev. Bigham has proved duly repentant and which has been forgiven by the highest authorities of his church, the Pharisees who rule the Methodist church in Augusta refuse to receive him as their pastor.

"To be consistent those fanatics should tear from their Bibles every reference to Noah, for he at one time got on a howling old drunk. They should eliminate from the sacred Book the epistles of Peter, for on one occasion he cursed and swore like a trooper. They should tear from their Bibles all the writings of David, for he was one of the champion adulterers of his age, and when they die they should go to hell to avoid the contaminating association with Noah, Peter and David in Heaven."

NEW REALTY COMPANY WILL PROVE BIG THING

A REAL LIVE CONCERN WHICH IS BOUND TO HELP GAINESVILLE.

University Place Property Will Be Placed on Market Monday. Some Desirable Lots.

As will be seen by their announcement elsewhere in this issue, the Hampton-Watson Company place on sale Monday, the magnificent subdivision of the W. R. Thomas Real Estate Company, known as "University Place." This property, located on Liberty street, the best paved street in the city (and its main thoroughfare) between the court house square and the University of Florida, is the best subdivision property ever offered the public in Gainesville, and its development will mark a new era in the history of the city, for it will complete the beautifying of her proudest and best thoroughfare.

The W. R. Thomas Real Estate Company shows its absolute confidence in the intrinsic value of the property by agreeing to do what no other real estate company in Florida has ever done before, viz: Set aside a building fund of thirty-three and one-third per cent of the entire sales from which it proposes to loan to purchasers of lots, at six per cent per annum, double the amount of the purchase price paid for such lots, for building purposes only. The applications for loans from this fund are to be acted upon in the order in which filed. This is an extraordinary offer and proves that the desire of this company is to develop the city, as well as make money.

The Thomas Company also binds itself to pave every street, and put a granolithic sidewalk in front of every lot sold, at the expense of the company.

Liberty street, on which this property has a frontage of about 2,500 feet has a fine system of cement sidewalk for two miles, from city limits to city limits, and is paved its entire length. It is the main artery through which flows Gainesville's country trade, and is easily her most important street. No afternoon drive is complete without a spin on Liberty street as far as the University, and in consequence, this street is Gainesville's fashionable boulevard, crowded with automobiles and other vehicles every afternoon and evening.

Would it take a very shrewd prophet to foretell the future of property so located?

It is written, that the greatest growth of all cities shall be westward, and Gainesville will be no exception to the rule, in fulfilling her destiny. Hindered for a long time by peculiar local conditions, she grew north and east; but at last favored by the location of the University of Florida in that direction, she is now in line to obey that mysterious law which none can explain, but all admit exists, and will grow to the westward. Already fine homes are springing up in front of the University, and we predict that in five years or less, when the oaks now growing will furnish complete shade, some of the highest priced residence property in Gainesville will be on West Liberty street, and its immediate vicinity.

For this reason, The Sun unhesitatingly commends this property to persons who wish it for homes or investment.

One hundred and fifty thousand dollar Government building, magnificent Elk and Masonic homes, mammoth department stores, great hardware establishments and furniture stores, fine, prosperous banking houses, fine hotels, beautiful homes, fine cement sidewalks, sewerage, waterworks and public utilities of every kind are not found in country towns. Gainesville is now a city; she is growing rapidly and her future is assured. Well selected real estate anywhere within her limits is as sound an investment as Government bonds.

Those who are shrewd enough to see it in time, and act, will profit by it. The doubters, and those who hesitate until too late, will share the fate of their kind the world over, and "lose out."

The railroads treated the people of Marion county shamefully in not giving excursion rates to Ocala on the occasion of the Marion County Fair. Such enterprises deserve all the encouragement the railroads can extend.

ARCHER NEWS.

ARCHER, Dec. 4.—Mrs. W. L. Jackson is in Plant City attending a convention of the W. C. T. U.

C. W. Bauknight returned Friday from Jacksonville, where he has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. H. Tucker.

Miss Ida Chamblin has returned home after spending several months in Tennessee and Carolina.

Mrs. Robert Heagle and son are visiting Mrs. Anderson in Bronson.

W. H. McNair was called to Alachua on account of the serious illness of his sister, Mrs. Davis.

Mrs. W. H. Powell spent Tuesday in Gainesville with Mrs. M. B. Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pearson are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Coulson, in Bradentown.

Mrs. Ernest Hester of Tampa is visiting her mother, Mrs. Hughes.

Judge Chamblin is slowly improving after a few days' illness.

Fred Frie of our town, who is attending the University in Gainesville, got the gold medal and twenty-five dollar prize given at the Carnival in Jacksonville for being the best drilled boy in the State.

Mrs. Merrit and children of Gainesville are visiting Mrs. W. E. Brown this week.

The many friends of Wallace Boone were pained to hear of his sudden death, which occurred at his home in Raleigh last week. He had been attending school here for several years, was very popular with teachers and pupils, and a bright and promising boy about fifteen years old. He was only sick a few days and all that the physician and loving hands could do was done, but when God calls no hand can stay. His body was laid to rest here in Laurel Hill cemetery, Rev. Newman conducting the services. The family have the deepest sympathy of the entire community.

Miss Kittle Hodgson returned last week from North Carolina, where she spent the summer.



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The National Bird done to a turn in the true American style is a dish fit for a king. What of your silver service—is it equally fit for a king? If perchance you are thinking of something better, we suggest

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Gainesville High School	24.00
Miss Vida Barron, Bell	24.00
Miss Annie Price, Wade	24.00
Miss Beattie Waits, Hawthorn	24.00
Miss Mattie Jennings, Rochelle	24.00
Miss Rosa L. Rives, High Socy	24.00
Miss Eva Powell, Alachua	24.00

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ONE DOLLAR A YEAR

SAVING RURAL SOUTH TO THE WHITE RACE

Hope of South Is in Having Great Body of Prosperous, Home-Ownng White Farmers.

RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 3.—The Progressive Farmer, the most largely circulated farm weekly in the South, prints a notable article this week urging ambitious white tenant farmers to buy land now, and declaring that the whole South must stand together to encourage the development of a class of prosperous small white farmers as the backbone of the country. The big plantations, it declares, hold back progress. The article says: "We hope we have seen about the last of Southern white farmers leaving the farm to take work in cotton mills. We are anxious to see the manufacturing enterprises of the South build up, but we are more anxious to see the farm lands of the South held by prosperous small white farmers, and to see these small white farmers have their part in the great agricultural awakening now going on. "Someone has wisely said that in all ages and all countries the men of the classes who own the land sooner or later make themselves the aristocracy of that country. We have

not come to this condition so rapidly in America as in other countries, because of the abundance of cheap land resulting from the newness of the settlement and the sparseness of population as yet; but in the long run the history of other countries must be repeated here.

"These thoughts came very forcibly to mind as we rode through a cotton mill village the other day and saw its hundreds of white employes—men, women, and children—who have left the farm to become the homeless hirelings of the cotton manufacturers. The negroes, finding no place in manufacturing for them, are left on the farm and are becoming land-holders in rapidly increasing numbers. Prof. W. E. DuBois, a prominent Georgia negro educator, has just published a map showing that since 1900 Georgia negroes have increased their land-holdings from \$50,000 to 1,500,000 acres, and now own within the State of Georgia alone an area larger than the entire State of Delaware.

"Not only this, but the negro chil-

dren are going to school and developing healthy bodies in the open air and healthy surroundings of country life instead of being shut up in the cotton mill, overworked, under-educated, and poorly developed physically—as the tendency must be in all cotton mills so long as the legislatures of the South are too subservient to the less humane mill owners to enact needed laws of restricting child labor in the mills—the less humane mill owners, we say, because there are many thoughtful and far-seeing mill owners who heartily favor stricter regulations.

"Remember, we have no ill will toward the cotton manufacturers; we have no ill will toward the negro. We do realize very strongly, however, that the safety of the South depends upon the presence of a large white rural population. The drift to the towns and the cotton mills not only affects this directly, but also indirectly, because when once the population of a community becomes predominantly negro, the small number of white people left may be forced to move out in order to find sufficient numbers for a society of their own.

"It was a wise saying of James Oliver's, 'Happy is the land that is filled by the man who owns it,' and the great need of the South today is to encourage the holding of small farms by white farmers. We repeat, that we say this in no ill will to the negro—in fact, it should not be necessary for us to say this, because no one else in the South has preached more persistently than we the doctrine that it is the intelligent, prosperous negro who helps, and the ignorant, poverty-breeding negro who makes us all poorer—but we say this for the good of white and black alike because the best interests of both races demand that the rural South maintain its large white population. Unless this is done the negro himself will not progress as rapidly as he will with white guidance, and unless this is done, the cities of the South must also inevitably go backward.

"We urge every tenant-farmer, and especially every white man who for any reason is thinking of becoming somebody's hired man in town instead of owning his home in the country, to buy land. The great plantations of the South, for the good of our section as a whole, must be broken up. We must encourage the spirit of home-owning, with every man sitting under his own vine and fig tree, and we must especially encourage the development of a great class of small white farmers.

"The saving of the rural South to the white race is one of the most important problems now before the people of the Cotton Belt.

"In this connection, there is another thing that ought to be mentioned, and that is the problem of immigration. The Farmers' Union and other farmers' organizations are right in protesting against the coming of large numbers of Italians, Russians, Hungarians, Poles, etc. This would only make a bad matter worse, and complicate matters still further. What would help, however, is the coming of a large number of wide-awake Northern and Western farmers, buying small farms among us and making their farms object lessons in stock raising and other lines of diversified agriculture. These Northern and Western farmers will also set a good example for our Southern people in that they are ready to do any and all kinds of work with their own hands, entirely independent of hired labor. As a Southerner, reared on the farm and a descendant of generations of Southern farmers, we must confess the need of our people at this point, and the help that we would get here from an increased number of wide-awake Western settlers besides the aid they would render in keeping up the balance of population between the two races in the South and preventing the predominance of a colored farming population, which, we repeat, would be undesirable for both whites and blacks and ruinous to our section as a whole."

UNCLE SAM'S MARINES LEAVE FOR NICARAGUA

War Department Will Protect Our Subjects in South America With Armed Force if Necessary.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Naval forces of the United States are being moved forward to both coasts of Central America for the purpose of protecting American life and property in Nicaragua by force of arms, if the necessity arrives.

With the departure late yesterday from Philadelphia of the troop ship Prairie with 700 marines aboard for the Isthmus of Panama, and if it be so decreed, for Nicaragua, and with the sailing from Magdalena Bay of the protected cruiser Albany and the gunboat Yorktown for Corinto on the Pacific Coast of Nicaragua, the warlike activity of the navy department was becoming manifest on both oceans that wash the Nicaraguan shores. Besides the cruisers Des Moines and Tacoma and the gunboat Marietta are lying off Port Limon, Costa Rica, ready for any call upon them and the guns of the little gunboat Vicksburg are pointed toward the custom house and town of Corinto. The gunboat Princeton is endeavoring to make her way from the Bremerton navy yard, Washington, to Corinto, also.

In addition the transport Buffalo, according to what is said to be the plans of the officials responsible will sail from Panama for Corinto with probably as many as 1,100 marines aboard, soon after the Prairie, which left Philadelphia yesterday afternoon with 700 marines, arrived at Colon.

On the Albany are about 280 blue jackets and on the Vicksburg, Yorktown and Princeton about 150 each. These, together with the marines, would make an army equal to any organization reported to be serving under Zelaya.

At the same time the United States will have a formidable force within

striking distance of the Atlantic Coast in case of danger to American lives or property in that section of Nicaragua. At Port Limon, Costa Rica, are anchored the cruisers Des Moines and Tacoma, each with 280 men aboard, and the gunboat Marietta with 150 men.

With the probability of many delicate questions arising in Nicaragua and of their demanding immediate response, the navy department decided to send a flag officer to Nicaragua to take command of the American naval forces. Rear Admiral William K. Kimball was chosen for that duty. He sailed for Colon, Panama, yesterday on the Prairie. He will make his way from there to Corinto doubtless, as rapidly as possible.

Admiral Kimball has been a member of the naval boards of examinations and retirements and of construction for more than a year.

There were no developments at the State Department yesterday regarding Nicaraguan affairs. Although Secretary Knox, in his note Wednesday night to the Nicaraguan charge, Mr. Rodriguez, intimated that he would be willing to see that gentleman unofficially, the permission has not yet been taken advantage of.

Having promptly informed in a lengthy cablegram the Nicaraguan government that the American Secretary of State had Wednesday night presented him with his passports, Senator Rodriguez, charge d'affaires of Nicaragua in Washington, is now awaiting instructions from President Zelaya as to what course he is to follow now that diplomatic relations between the United States and Nicaragua have been severed.

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Pierpont Morgan Now Owns Equitable Insurance Co.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Control of the Equitable Life Assurance Society which was secured by Thomas F. Morgan soon after the insurance scandal of some years ago, has passed to Pierpont Morgan with the \$472,000 of assets which the company declared in its last statement. The transfer, apart from its magnitude as a chapter in the history of finance, marks a complete reversal of the older order under which the insurance companies controlled the destinies of the banks and trust companies.

News of the transfer was contained in the following brief statement issued from the offices of Morgan & Co.: "Mr. Morgan has bought the majority of the stock of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, formerly owned by Thomas F. Ryan. This purchase is subject to the trust under which George Westinghouse were made trustees for the benefit of pollard's children, and it covers all the stock interests, including all the stock purchased by him from James H. Hyde."

The exact amount of the stock bought by Mr. Morgan and his partners and the price they paid remain a subsequent announcement. It would they name any other interest allied with them, although it is

commonly understood in Wall street that at least one large trust company may take a hand in the deal, if the consent of the Equitable is obtained. Under the terms of the trust agreement referred to in Mr. Morgan's announcement the Ryan stock could not be sold without the consent of the surviving trustees, whose terms of power held until June 15 next, and who might continue the agreement for another five years if they saw fit.

Mr. Ryan's holdings in the Equitable were bought, in large part, from James H. Hyde, although Edward H. Harriman had laid plans which, as he supposed, were to assure him the control which went instead to Mr. Ryan. It was during the hearings of the Armstrong insurance investigation that Mr. Harriman, when questioned on this point, coined what subsequently became a national byword. He was asked if he had settled scores with Mr. Ryan and answered tersely "not yet." The public added with ready intuition "but soon."

At the offices of the Equitable society President Paul Morton professed ignorance to the transfer. It is known, however, that the directors of the society and the principals to the deal were in conference Wednesday and until late yesterday, and there is authority for the statement that the transfer met with their approval.

Federal Judge Would Kill Criminals and Lunatics

FARGO, N. D., Dec. 2.—Judge Charles Amundson, of the United States District Court for North Dakota, addressed the execution of the professional criminal and the hopelessly insane in an address at the Congregational church. He took the position that it costs as much to keep a man in the penitentiary as it does to keep a man in a university, and that a man in a university, though that well-behaved young

men should not be deprived of an education by the expenditure of public money in keeping a naturally bad man under lock and key.

Judge Amundson stated that the percentage of professional criminals who are reformed is so small as not to be worth mentioning. He thought the hopelessly insane should be put to death in a humane way, thus relieving them of their misery.

Man Sells Wife For \$1.50; Buyer Tires of Bargain

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 3.—Ernest Phillips of Akron and Edward Smith, a farmer near Lockport, were held for the grand jury on a charge of violating the penal statute that prohibits the selling of a woman. The case first came to the attention of the authorities when Phillips' wife appealed to the superintendent of the police for aid. She was found living in a barn with her child. Mrs. Phillips said her husband had sold her to Smith for \$1.50 and that Smith had turned her out.

When arrested Smith admitted that

he had lived with the woman but said he did not know she was Phillips' wife. The alleged sale of the woman was the result of a talk the men had in a tavern. Smith had said no woman would live with him, whereupon Phillips is alleged to have said: "You can have my wife for \$1.50."

"I only had ten shillings," said Smith, "so I borrowed a quarter. When I got ready to go home the woman climbed into the wagon and went with me."

Mrs. Phillips is now in the poor-house.

Japanese Girl Coming to Enter Brenau College

GAINESVILLE, Ga., Dec. 2.—News has just been received by Miss Desma Pentecost, president of the Brenau Woman's Christian Association, that Miss Aya Tokedo will sail for America from Tokio, Japan, about January 1, in good time for the beginning of the spring term at Brenau.

Miss Tokedo is a graduate of Miss Tunda's well-known institution for young women, which is located in Tokio, and has been selected by Miss Tunda as the recipient of the scholarship offered by the Brenau Young Wo-

man's Christian Association to a Japanese girl. This scholarship includes all expenses of the student for a period of three years. The funds are to be provided by the organization each year, and Dr. H. J. Pearce, president of the college, has guaranteed to Miss Tunda the fulfillment of the pledge.

The Brenau students are looking forward with much curiosity and pleasure to the coming of the new student from the other side of the world.

NEGRO GRABBED BOOK AND MADE ESCAPE

EXCITING EXPERIENCE OF LADY
IN EAST GAINESVILLE.

**Bold Highwayman Snatched Purse and
Made Away in Dark—Apprehended
by Dr. Rogers But Escaped.**

An exciting moment is recorded in the usual quiet history of East Gainesville, as on Thursday night some miscreant broke the quietude of that section by snatching a pocketbook from Mrs. M. H. McClamroch, while the lady was on her way home from the city, and was only a few yards from her gate when the incident occurred. The pocketbook contained only \$1.50 in change, but the incident of this highway robbery is what racked the nerves of the lady and those in the immediate vicinity.

Mrs. McClamroch was on her way home from shopping. The street light on Prairie avenue, in the vicinity of her home, was not burning, and on account of the drizzling mist the night was quite dark. Suddenly, as Mrs. McClamroch was opposite the home of J. W. Patton and only a few yards from her own gate, a burly negro youth approached her, and, without a word, snatched the pocketbook, which was suspended from her waist belt, and rushed into the black darkness of the surroundings.

Mrs. McClamroch screamed, which attracted the attention of Rev. S. B. Rogers, who happened to be conveniently near. He approached the lady, who informed him that the negro had gone in the direction of the school house. Dr. Rogers, with admirable nerve, made a hasty pursuit after the negro, and finally found him in an outhouse on the school lot, but before he was aware of it the negro had rushed from the door, and was again lost in the darkness. Dr. Rogers made a thorough search for the miscreant, but was unable to find him again on account of the darkness. He believes, however, that he did see the negro run across the bridge under the electric light at Sweetwater branch.

Marshal Dell and Special Officer W. G. Richardson were notified and went to the scene, but the elapsed time had given the negro plenty of time to get away.

K. of P. Team Returns.

The working team of Mount Vernon Lodge No. 20, Knights of Pythias, which went to Bronson to confer work in the rank of Knight on Thursday, returned Friday morning, and report one of the best and most memorable times of their lives.

The members of Suwannee lodge, which is one of the largest lodges of the order in the State, turned out en masse to greet the visitors, and the work was conferred in a most impressive manner, the team from Mount Vernon using its own paraphernalia. At the conclusion of the lodge ceremonies those present participated in a banquet and love feast, when several talks along lines of the good of the order were made.

Trees Being Cut.

Since the bulletin to the effect that the chinaberry tree has been causing disease to citrus and other fruits by attracting insects, a war has been waged against that unfortunate tree, and this war has finally reached Gainesville.

In a number of sections of the city within the past few days handsome china trees have been felled and split into fire-wood, which affords a consolation that the tree is good for something, anyway.

As a result of this general destruction of the china tree, the small boy will be compelled to resort to some other amusement than the "pop gun" next spring.

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The Store of Quality.

WHAT IS A WHITE MAN?

A Puzzling Problem For the Racial Investigator.

The chief of the naturalization bureau at Washington is of the opinion that the "average man in the street" understands distinctly what a "white" man is. Apparently some persons can master a subject without studying it at all, while others who have looked into it deeply are not so dogmatically certain as the "average man in the street."

For example, the encyclopedias tell us that mankind was divided by Blumenbach into five races—namely, Caucasian, Mongolian, Ethiopian, American (Indian) and Malay. The words "Caucasian" and "white" are used synonymously. This classification was first published in 1781 and must have been known to our national legislators when in 1802 they passed the first naturalization law.

The Caucasian race includes Arabs, who are certainly not "whiter" than the Turks, yet Turks, the official says, cannot be naturalized because they are not "white."

We are also told by the naturalization bureau that the Hindoo is not "white" within the meaning of the statute. But the encyclopedia says that it is a great error to separate the Hindoo from the Caucasian race. The Hindoo, it thinks, is much nearer the "white" race than the Arab.

To puzzle the racial investigator still further, while everything is so clear to the "average man in the street," we are told by the encyclopedias that the original Caucasians—that is, the inhabitants of the Caucasus—are no longer regarded as Caucasians. They have been thrown out of the "white" camp and forced to go over to the Mongol.

Nor is the enigma any nearer solution when we are told by the naturalization bureau that Asiatics cannot be naturalized, but that Siberians can, although Siberians may be anything from Russians to Mongolians or Mongol-Turco-Tartars.—Boston Globe.

Meanness to a Blind Man.

A man with dark glasses over his eyes touched the conductor on the shoulder as the car neared Euclid avenue and East Fifty-fifth street.

"Pardon me," the man said, "but if you're the conductor I want to ask a favor. I'm blind, and I want you to lead me over to the curb when the car stops, if you'll be so good."

"Not that I minded the little bother of doing that for him," remarked the conductor when he got back on his car, "but 'tain't right to let a blind man go around all alone like that at night trying to find his way around in the dark."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

They Sometimes Are.

"We'll have to promote that clerk. He takes the stairs four at a jump. He's always busy."

"Yes," commented the observant senior partner, "too busy to do anything."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Unopened.

"Did opportunity knock at your door?"

"Yes, but the cook always maintained that it wasn't her place to answer."

—Puck.

The Sun office for calling cards.

UNCLE SAM'S MARINES LEAVE FOR NICARAGUA

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ragua have been severed. Mr. Rodriguez would make no statement yesterday and had received no further information, he said, regarding the progress of affairs in Nicaragua.

No marines have been landed at any point in Nicaragua. That statement was made to the Associated Press last night by Brigadier-General George F. Elliott, commanding the United States marine corps.

"Neither are there any marines on board any of the United States war vessels now in Nicaraguan waters," said General Elliott. "The marines nearest Nicaragua now are at Panama."

"Have they been ordered to Nicaragua?" General Elliott was asked. "Not yet," replied the commander.

QUICKSAND.

How It Is Formed and Its Growsome Characteristics.

To most persons the word "quicksand" gives a sensation of horror similar to that produced by the thought of a snake, and many sensational accounts have given to quicksand almost human attributes. No ordinary observer would be able to distinguish dry quicksand from any other sand, and the average person would be unable to restore it to its "quick" properties even if he tried. If water is mixed with the quicksand the mass does not become mobile, and if the water is drained off the sand will be found firmly packed.

Quicksand is comparatively very light, weighing about ninety-four pounds to the cubic foot, while other forms of sand run as high as 171 pounds. Quicksand when examined under the microscope will be found to have rounded corners, like river sand, as distinguished from "sharp" sand. It is quicksand that is used in hour-glasses and egg glasses, partly because of its fineness and partly because it does not eventually cloud the glass by scratching, as would the sharp sand. It is to its lightness that quicksand owes its deadly qualities, and a demonstration of how it becomes "quick" may be given by placing a quantity in a bucket and adding water by pressure through a hole in the bottom, allowing the water to overflow very slowly when it has worked up through the sand. The upward current will be found to loosen the sand and to raise the surface very slightly, separating and lubricating the particles so that they are easily displaced.

The bucket now contains genuine quicksand. The sand, owing to the support it receives from the water, has its weight, or supporting power, reduced proportionately, weighing in the water but thirty-two and a half pounds as against ninety-four pounds when dry. Bulk for bulk, the mixture is nearly twice the weight of a man, but is too mobile to give support and too thick to swim in. In its natural state, presenting an apparently firm surface, resembling simply damp sand, it is the most deadly man trap conceivable.

Quicksand requires in all cases an upward current which is not quick or strong enough to break through in the form of a spring. Ordinarily water flowing over quicksand will not make it dangerous. It may be formed in tidal rivers and on the shores of tidal seas by the rising tide saturating a porous stratum of ground below high water mark, and when the tide falls a return current is established through the porous (sandy) ground with a sufficient velocity to loosen the sand and make it "quick."

A permanent quicksand is found where a slow current of fresh water finds its way to the surface of the sand bed either in the bottom of a stream or elsewhere. Quicksands that are encountered during the sinking of walls and foundations are due to the influx of water when the work gets below "spring level" or the level of the water in the ground at that particular spot. The sand, being deprived of the lateral support of the water in the excavation, is pushed in from behind by the water currents flowing from all sides.

One of the most peculiar and growsome characteristics of quicksand is that it will soon engulf any object cast upon its surface, no matter how light that object may be, even a perfectly dry stick.—Harper's Weekly.

Judge Wyane of LaCorna, Eastlake, sent Z. C. Chambliss of Ocala two giant bamboo stalks 48 feet in length, to be displayed at the county fair. These stalks grew to this length in three months, it is said. They were so long that no car could receive them, so the conductor placed them on the top of a freight car. They attracted much attention at the fair.

ABOUT ADVERTISING—NO. 4

The Hen and the Doorknob

By Herbert Kaufman

Once upon a time there was a fool hen who sat on a china doorknob for three weeks expecting to get a family. The only thing she did get was experience.

The advertising field is full of "china doorknob propositions"—examples of merchants who expect good newspapers to hatch money out of bad egg business, or who put sound nest eggs under the wrong "advertising hen."

There are three principles to follow in an advertising campaign: First of all, find a business that will stand advertising; secondly, find the newspaper that will make the advertising pay; thirdly, give the newspaper time to pay.

You can't start in to breed dollars in less time than it takes to hatch them any more than you can pull a hen off the nest before she has had a chance to incubate. In both cases you simply waste what has been invested. If you stop too soon you will get a rotten egg instead of a chicken.

Advertise something out of which you may reasonably expect returns, and when you have found what to advertise, take care that you place your copy in a newspaper that can turn the trick. Don't delude yourself with a china doorknob, and don't confuse a "rooster newspaper," which spends its time cock-a-loruming, for a "hen newspaper" that is too busy hatching out dollars to strut about crowing.

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Are YOU Being "Hunted?"

One of today's want ads. may be hunting you—ransacking the city for you. It may have a message for you of urgent personal importance—one that, when you get it, and heed it, may change the immediate currents of your activities, of your interests—may even place around and about you new environments, new associates; may give you an entirely new start in a business way.

Isn't it worth while to try to find out whether this may not be true—today, tomorrow, or very soon!

NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF FLORIDA

The St. Petersburg girls have two good basket ball teams.

Cucumbers are now being shipped in large quantities from Arcadia.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Camp of Ocala have moved into their elegant new home on Camp Heights.

A big lumber mill was recently destroyed by fire at Moffit, in DeSoto county, with a loss of \$38,000.

The Holy people at Webster have their tabernacle nearly completed and expect to begin a series of meetings soon.

Mrs. W. H. Reynolds of Lakeland, wife of the former State Comptroller, died on November 26th, in a hospital at Baltimore of pellagra.

Robt. Arnold of Mt. Pleasant has killed about forty head of hogs already, and has many more to kill. He has quite a lot for the market this year.

Miss Edith G. Livingston of Edgar recently married to Mr. John W. Carley of Boardman. The marriage came as a surprise to their many friends.

Col. Seymon Howell of St. Augustine died in that city Saturday afternoon after a lingering illness. The remains were shipped to his old home Adrian, Mich.

C. A. LeHardy, the well-known merchant and civil engineer of Panama, was mysteriously shot and slightly wounded at Carraway late Tuesday afternoon.

A new concern to be known as the Duval County Real Estate Company, with S. A. Wood, cashier of the Volusia county Bank, as president, and a capital of \$25,000, has been formed in Land.

The contract for constructing a concrete cistern at the naval station in West, with a capacity of 1,500,000 gallons, has been awarded to W. H. & Co. of Jacksonville, their bid of \$19,950 being the lowest.

W. V. Reddick of Manatee, who has been drilling a well for W. B. Thompson in Oneco, has reached a depth of 400 feet, and has sufficient water for a flow of about 200 gallons a minute, but they are still going on.

A. Williams of Wauchula is making extensive improvements in his road. He recently received a new engine and five cars and is now hauling three miles of 40-pound steel. The road supplies the logs for the mill in that town.

G. Bronson, a resident of Fort Pierce for about sixteen years, and a man of sterling qualities, died in that city one day last week. The funeral was conducted by Fort Pierce Lodge No. 1, F. and A. M., with members of the Knights Templars in full regalia acting as pall-bearers.

The Ashman farm, consisting of ten acres and located one mile west of Fort Pierce, was purchased last week by Mrs. Wakefield and Hackworth of Fort Pierce. The price paid being \$10,000. This is said to be one of the most desirable and valuable pieces of property around Sanford.

Sanford now has a splendid municipal band, and it is always in great demand. This band renders music every Sunday afternoon at Ballast and is making the great race track even more attractive through the music dispensed between the contests on each racing program.

There is a movement on foot in the city to increase the stock of the Florida Bridge Company from \$5,000 to \$100,000. This will give the company ample capital to complete the bridge across the Manatee river, and it is expected that actual work will be commenced in a short time and completed in a few months.

For Coughs—Take This

Do you know a remedy for coughs and colds nearly seventy years old? There is one—Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Once in the family, it stays. It is not a doctor, does not take the place of a doctor. It is a doctor's aid. Made for the treatment of all throat and lung troubles. Ask your own doctor his opinion of it. Follow his advice. No alcohol in this cough medicine. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

You cannot recover promptly if your bowels are constipated. Ayer's Pills are gently laxative; act directly on the liver. Sold for nearly sixty years. Ask your doctor all about them.

FARM INCOME FROM LIVESTOCK.

Record prices of live stock at Chicago, and generally throughout the country, make it clear that 1909 is to be another year of unusual advantage to the farms of the country, from the natural increase in their herds of live stock. An estimate based on figures of the Department of Agriculture, compiled on January 1 of this year, leads to the conclusion that the sales of live stock by the end of the year will have reached no less than \$1,500,000,000.

That is not far from being the full value of a good sized corn crop, and is between two and three times the worth of the country's entire wheat yield. In the table following, the average prices prevailing about the beginning of the year, with some slight additions, have been taken as the amount received per head for the different kinds of animals sold from the farm. The total value thus arrived at for these six classes of animals is \$1,447,500,000.

	No. sold, Avg.	1909. Price	Total Income.
Horses	5,000,000	\$100	\$500,000,000
Mules	1,350,000	110	148,500,000
Milch cows	7,000,000	30	210,000,000
Other cat.	16,000,000	18	288,000,000
Sheep	28,000,000	4	112,000,000
Swine	27,000,000	7	189,000,000

From these figures it appears that from horses and cattle alone, as much as \$1,000,000,000 is brought to the farming and grazing interests of the country each year. The wonder is that this line of investment is not followed more closely, especially in view of the vast amount of farm land not under cultivation. Slightly more than half the acreage incorporated into farms is actually cultivated in the United States. There is much grazing available in these uncultivated areas. At existing prices for live stock a premium is put upon the breeding of animals for the general market.

One difficulty, however, has always been, outside of the West and the older Eastern States, that too much of the stock was of the "scrub" variety, on whose preparation for market much cost was wasted. Live stock investment, to be profitable in the long run, must be based on improved breeding. Any other plan will insure low grade products, and the profits are likely to be too uncertain to keep live men and live capital in the business. Nevertheless, there never was a better time than the present for the farmer to restock his herds with the type and kinds that are in permanent market demand.

A GOOD FEED TO USE WITH CORN.

The packing house by-products have not generally been introduced to the South. But there is at least one of the products that should be used here, and that is tankage. As a result of its use along with corn, pork will be made cheaper and the value of the corn will be increased. It can be laid down in the South almost anywhere for not more than \$40 a ton. It is a very rich feed and should be used in very small amounts. It should not make up more than one-tenth of the whole day's feed. But when that small amount is used the gains are made very much cheaper than when corn is used alone. In some experiments at the Alabama Station, two dollars were saved on every hundred pounds of pork made by the introduction of a little tankage in the feed. The tankage balances up the corn, and renders the feed exceedingly palatable. The writer has used this feed for several years and the longer he uses it the more he thinks of it.—Dan T. Gray, in Raleigh (N. C.) Progressive Farmer.

Some article that is simply "in the way" at your house might, if advertised, be sold to someone who is anxiously looking for it.

Isn't there something which only a vast ad. can do for you today?

Seven Rules of Life.

Live upstairs if you wish to be in good health! "Up how many flights?" Only one flight of seven steps. I will describe them.

First Step.—Eat wheat, oats, corn, fruits, beef, mutton, plainly cooked, in moderate quantity and but two meals a day.

Second Step.—Breathe good air day and night.

Third Step.—Exercise freely in the open air.

Fourth Step.—Retire early and rise early.

Fifth Step.—Wear flannel next your skin every day of the year and so dispose your dress that your limbs may be kept warm. Bathe frequently.

Sixth Step.—Live in the sunshine. Let your bedroom be one which receives a flood of light and spend your days either out in the sunlight or in a room which is well lighted.

Seventh Step.—Cultivate a cheerful temper. Seek the society of jolly people. Absolutely refuse to worry and, above all, don't be afraid to laugh. Live above. Sickness cannot crawl up there. Disease grows about in the basement. Rarely does it get upstairs. —Dr. F. G. Butler in Chicago Journal.

The Shade He Wanted.

Delacroix, the painter, was walking out one day in Paris with a friend of his when he fell into a brown study.

"What is up with you now?" said the friend.

"I can't get a certain shade of yellow," replied the artist.

"What sort of yell, w?"

Just then a cab drove past.

"The very thing!" the painter gasped out. "Stop, stop!"

"I am engaged," the cabby replied without stopping.

Delacroix started in pursuit and at a steep place in the Rue des Martyrs overtook the cab. Opening the door, he said in tones of entreaty to the passenger inside:

"Do please tell your driver to stop. I want your complexion for a painting on which I am at work. There is a color merchant close at hand. I shall not detain you above five minutes, and in acknowledgment of the service you render me I will present you with a sketch of my picture."

The bargain was struck. Delacroix got his yellow, and a few months later the "fare" received a sketch of his "Assassination of the Archbishop of Liège."

Melodrama to Suit the Locality.

In New York.—Marry me and give me those papers and you will receive \$500,000 in cash. Refuse and I'll toss you from the Brooklyn bridge!

In Wilkesbarre, Pa.—And you will receive seventy acres of richest anthracite coal. Refuse and you go into a coal breaker! Choose!

In Denver.—And you will receive 7,000 shares of "Umpate gold mining stock, worth umpste dollars a share. Refuse and you will be c-r-r-rushed in a stamp mill to p-o-o-wder! Choose!

In Memphis, Tenn.—And you will receive 10,000 bales of finest cotton. Refuse and you go into the cotton gin! Choose!

In North Carolina.—And you will receive 18,000 barrels of turpentine. Refuse and you shall be boiled in resin! Choose!—Puck.

London Cellar Restaurants.

Before coffee stalls were instituted the humblest places of refreshment were cellars, where the hard up, as the slang phrase went, could "dive for a dinner," with a choice of such viands as tripe, cow heel, sausages and shin of beef soup. Some of the cellar restaurants existed as recently as the early seventies of the last century in Butcher row, Temple Bar and the network of courts and alleys swept away for the site of the royal courts of justice. It was in this neighborhood and probably to a dining place of this description that Dr. Johnson resorted in his struggling days, when he was so poor that, as he relates, it was not every day that he could afford a half-penny tip for the waiter.—London Chronicle.

Wells in India.

The question of wells in India is complicated by the coexistence in each community of two castes—the purer Hindoos and Gonds on the one hand, the weavers on the other. No weaver may draw from the well of the Hindoos lest it be defiled, nor will the Hindoo drink from the hands or the well of a weaver. Thus it becomes necessary either to dig two wells or to depute a certain number of the Hindoo element to give water to their less exalted fellow villagers.

Almost Human.

"Oh, George," tearfully exclaimed his wife, meeting him at the door, "that parrot you brought home the other day—"

"What's the matter with him?" asked Mr. Ferguson.

"I don't know. He won't tell me. When I ask him what the trouble is he just swears dreadfully."—Exchange.

A Bright Boy.

"The gentlemen who came to see daddy said I was one of the most intelligent children they ever saw," said little Jack.

"Indeed!" said the proud mother.

"Did you recite 'Little Drops of Water' for them?"

"No. I refused."—London Mail.

The Sun office for calling cards.

Comets.

We know positively that comets attain their immense extension in space on account of the material comprising them being excessively tenuous, thinner than the lightest filmy haze of summer, says Professor Harold Jacoby, for we know the comets are not massive; they are almost entirely without weight. And this we know with certainty, because their arrival produces no perturbations of motion among the planets of the solar system, while the luxuriant laws of mechanical science tell us that a massive comet must surely disturb the usual orderly planetary orbits. A comet might, indeed, strike the earth, though such a collision is most improbable. But even if it should ever occur the visible effects would probably be no greater than those produced occasionally by meteorites, or "falling stars."

The other possible danger from the comet, the chance of suffocation from gases in the tail, is also negated by actual observation, for it is almost certain that our earth did once pass through a comet's tail, and no one noticed it at the time. Only the subsequent calculations of astronomers brought out the fact that the cometary orbit and that of the earth really had a common point of intersection and that both bodies occupied that point at the same time.—New York American.

Doubtful Praise.

A fullback in a football team once had the misfortune to put the ball through his own goal. This regrettable error lost him the game, and he suffered agonies of self reproach on the long journey home.

"I'm no more use than a chocolate footballer," he said to his sweetheart, who had traveled many miles to see him play. "A slip of a boy from school would have shaped better than I did."

"Now, George, I won't let you say such horrid things about yourself!" declared his loyal sweetheart. "You've no idea how popular you are. I heard a gentleman praising you up to the skies this afternoon."

"Never!" emphatically exclaimed the incredulous player.

"Oh, but it's quite true!" she said proudly. "He said you'd brought his club the best bit of luck they'd had for ages, and he heartily wished you were playing against them in every match."—Exchange.

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It is pure, mature and mellow.

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HE QUITS PRISON TO SEEK FREEDOM

PATRICK LEAVES SING SING TO
ARGUE IN COURT.

For Second Time Lawyer, Serving
Life Sentence for Murder, Is Al-
lowed to Appear in Court.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—For the second time this week, Albert T. Patrick, the lawyer serving a life sentence in Sing Sing for the murder of William Marsh Rice, emerged yesterday from prison seclusion to renew fighting for freedom.

The prison lawyer, undismayed by the failure of his repeated attempts to secure his release from prison, had a new point to urge upon the judges of the appellate division of the Supreme Court in Brooklyn. He contends that he has already virtually suffered part of the penalties of the death sentence, through confinement in the death house before his release was granted. There is no legal justification for placing him again in jeopardy for the same offense, he asserts.

Patrick appeared before the appellate division with his counsel, William L. McDonald, but made his argument in person. He recited the history of his case, and went over the ground of his former objections to a commutation of his sentence by Governor Hughes, which he said was against his wishes and without his consent.

Taking up his new point, Patrick declared that absolutely nothing had been done either to carry out the sentence of execution or to set aside, except through a stay granted by Justice O'Brien, of the Court of Appeals.

This also was applied for against his expressed directions to his counsel, and he declared that it had no legal effect, particularly as he contended that the court had no jurisdiction, and it was not in session when the staying order was issued.

Asked by a member of the court if he considered himself justified in employing this order of a friendly judge as a means of escape from prison, Patrick replied that he did, in view of the fact that the whole proceeding was against his explicit orders.

After Patrick had concluded his argument Justice Jenks ordered the writ of habeas corpus dismissed and Patrick was sent back to Sing Sing prison. Justice Jenks said that Patrick had developed no new grounds for a reopening of his case.

DEATH OF H. GLOGOWSKI.

Former Citizen of Gainesville Accidentally Killed in Tampa.

Joe Manasse received the sad intelligence Friday morning that Herman Glogowski had been accidentally killed by being thrown from a buggy while out driving with a friend. The news was a severe shock to deceased's many friends in Gainesville, where he resided for several years before removing to Tampa. He was for some time head clerk in G. W. Sparkman's large general merchandise establishment in this city, afterwards engaging in business for himself and later removing to Tampa, where he was for some time extensively engaged in business, and was for three terms mayor of the city. At the time of his death he was engaged in the insurance business.

It was the editor of The Sun's pleasure to be numbered among Herman Glogowski's closest friends, and a truer friend we have never known. He was the first man to pay us a year's subscription when we first engaged in the newspaper business in Gainesville, and he always had a kind word and helping hand to extend us in our boyhood days. To know Herman was to love him, and though he lived the Jewish faith he was for years a regular contributor to at least one of the Christian churches in Gainesville. He was liberal to a fault, and no one in apparent need ever appealed to him in vain.

Peace to his ashes—for he richly deserves a high reward at the hands of the Great God who breathed breath into his body.

Harsh physics react, weaken the bowels, cause chronic constipation. Doan's Regulets operate easily, tone the stomach, cure constipation. 25c. Ask your druggist for them.

GEER CHUBB MARRIED.

Well-Known Young Man Takes unto Himself a Bride.

Upon his return to this city from Pensacola, where he was called as a witness in the United States Court, Hon. Henry S. Chubb found a copy of The Orlando Citizen announcing the marriage of his son, Geer Chubb, to Miss Annie B. Self, both of Winter Park, but who were married in Orlando.

The information came rather as a surprise to Col. Chubb, as he did not dream of his son's matrimonial intentions. However, he declares that the young lady is one of the finest and best in that section of the State—or anywhere else for that matter, and he sent his congratulations at once.

"There was no use in that boy eloping," remarked Col. Chubb, "unless it was just merely to get married without mentioning it to anybody. Miss Self was a magnificent young lady, and the nuptials, as far as my good wife and I are concerned, are agreeable."

Mr. Chubb holds a responsible position with the Atlantic Coast Line in Sanford, and is regarded as a young man of exceptional ability.

Will Bring Family Here.

W. F. Patton, Jr., formerly of Charleston, S. C., but more recently of Albany, Ga., who has been in this city for some time working in the plumbing department of the Government building, has become so favorably impressed with Gainesville that he has decided to move his family here, and he is now making arrangements for their transfer.

Mr. Patton, who has been engaged in Government work a great deal, and who has traveled extensively, declares that Gainesville, from a moral and educational standpoint, is about the best city of its size he has ever seen, and he proposes to come here, erect a home, and educate his four children.

"I have been around some," he said to a Sun representative. "I have been given an opportunity to see all kinds of places and all sorts of people, but I believe Gainesville is the best town from every standpoint in the United States."

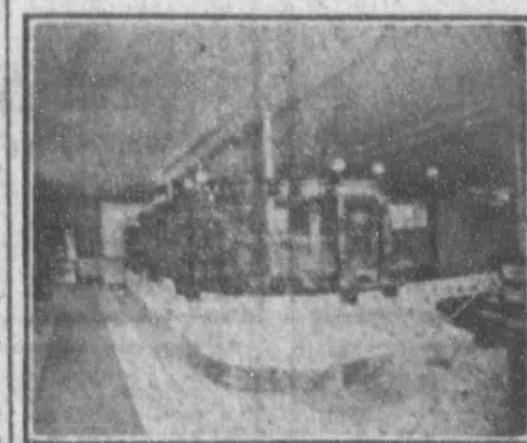
Gainesville folks will be glad to learn of the good opinion formed by Mr. Patton, and trust that his family will be as well pleased.

Will Move to Gainesville.

J. H. Allison and family, who have been residing in Micanopy for some time, have decided to make Gainesville their home, and have rented the Phifer cottage, 304 West Court street. Mr. and Mrs. Allison are possessed of a jovial, social nature, and the people of Gainesville will gladly welcome them.

Col. William H. Wise of Shreveport, La., who has a national reputation as a railroad attorney, died suddenly of heart failure last Saturday on a Pullman sleeper going to St. Augustine.

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Burnt-Cork Artists Pleased Large Audience at Baird Theatre.

From Saturday's Daily Sun:

With the best singers he has ever carried, a splendid chorus and quartet, Coburn's Greater Minstrels presented several new voices at the New Baird last night, and two of the old favorites who were remembered by many. Gille Coghlan, lyric tenor, sang several of this season's hits, and is in better voice than last season. He is a nephew of the actress Rose Coghlan, and possesses a most pleasing voice and personality. Robert C. Hockett, the basso of two years ago, has also returned to this company and his magnificent voice was at its best last night, singing two of the latest bass solos, either one of which is a splendid number. Harry Morrison of Parkersburg, W. Va., a robust tenor and Yodler, is perhaps the strongest favorite among the new singers this season, and both his tenor solo and his Yodler were strong hits of the first part. L. C. Berry, robust baritone, possesses the most phenomenal voice of any baritone ever seen with this company. He is also from Parkersburg, and his singing is easily a feature of the performance. "Take Me With You in Your Dreams," "To the End of the World," "Good Night, Dear," are included in his selections, and Berry is far ahead of Robert Wade of last season, who was such a favorite at all points. The quartet is composed of Coghlan, Berry, Morrison and Hockett, and is the best singing four ever with this attraction.

Every feature of the show was good, and the vast audience thoroughly enjoyed it from beginning to end.

AT THE TENT SHOW.

Park Company Entertained Largest Audience of Week Last Night.

From Saturday's Daily Sun:

Notwithstanding that there were other attractions in town, the C. W. Park Company entertained at their big tent last night the largest audience of the entire week, and those who attended left well pleased.

The production last night was the famous novel, "The House of a Thousand Candles," dramatized, and which is being produced with success throughout the entire country, nearly a hundred theatrical companies using the copyright. It is one of Park's best and most successful plays, and the large audience last night were delighted at the clever manner in which it was produced. It is truly a play of merit, and there is no wonder that it has proved such a winner everywhere it has been seen.

This afternoon, which will be the last day of the Park shows here until they return in February, there will be a matinee, beginning a little after 3 o'clock, and lasting more than two hours. The production this afternoon will be "Kathleen Mavourneen," an Irish comedy full of Irish wit and Irish jokes, and a production, while a little old, which grows better with age, like wine. The admission for this performance has been reduced; children 10 cents, adults 25 cents, with no extra charge for reserved seats.

Tonight will be presented a most interesting drama of Western life in four acts entitled "The Scout." This play is a good story, full of pathos and humor, and one of the treats of the week.

Mr. Crawford Called.

From Saturday's Daily Sun:

The Sun acknowledges a most agreeable call yesterday afternoon from Pat Crawford, the principal comedian with the Coburn Minstrels. Mr. Crawford is possessed of a disposition which is bound to make anyone feel better for living in the world, and always carries it with him, if we are to judge by the opinion he created when he walked into the office. Full of humor and good cheer, always jolly and with something good to say, it is no wonder that he is making a success on the road.

Mr. Crawford is "a boy from Dixie," and his light heart and cheerful manner fully characterizes him as one of that sort.

Typewriter ribbons for sale at this office. The best on the market. Only twenty-five cents. All colors and for use on all standard machines.

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AT ALL DRUG STORES

Peculiar Accident Costs St. Augustine Man His Life

ST. AUGUSTINE, Dec. 2.—A most unfortunate and peculiar accident occurred here Tuesday evening which caused the death of Mr. H. R. Thompson at an early hour yesterday morning.

Mr. Thompson was a well-known mechanic and has been employed at the shops of the Florida East Coast railway here. He was riding home on his bicycle from the shops Tuesday evening, accompanied by some friends. They were along Granada street and the bicyclists passed over a plank which had been laid across the street to protect a section of the asphalt pavement which had just been repaired.

A Mr. Alexander, who was with Mr. Thompson, called to the latter to be careful in riding over the plank and he continued on his way. After riding some distance, Mr. Alexander discovered that Mr. Thompson was not following and returning found his companion leaning against a pole suffering from a shock.

It seems that Mr. Thompson in riding over the plank received a severe jolt and after riding a short distance he was obliged to dismount on account of pain and shock. The unfortunate

young man was taken to his apartment at the Dunham House on Pine street.

Later in the evening he became conscious and his condition became alarming. He was taken to the hospital where the doctors found he was suffering from cerebral lesion. The cerebral had become fractured, caused a rupture of blood vessels. The injury proved a fatal one. Mr. Thompson died shortly after 10 o'clock yesterday morning.

The deceased was 34 years of age and leaves a young widow. Thompson had resided in St. Augustine about two years and was popular. Undertaker R. A. Peck took charge of the remains, which will be shipped North this evening for interment.

The accident which caused Thompson's death was to all appearances a most trivial one, and one which has given little thought of it previously. He rode over a narrow plank as hundreds of riders had done before him and he received a jolt. Nearly all bicyclists have experienced it. Nevertheless the jolt was sufficient to sever the spinal column and cause death.

Sugar Trust Defrauded Government of Great Sum

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The fruitful opportunity for fraud in the haste and bustle of the enormous business done daily on the Williamsburg docks of the American Sugar Refining Company, was what the Government sought to bring out yesterday in its prosecution of the six former employees of the company now on trial, charged with defrauding the Government by underweights.

David Fragner, a customs inspector, and once an assistant Government weigher, testified that at a busy time two trucks a minute, passed over a single set of scales, or eight to the minute on the four sets in use there for every hour of the day. Each truck weighed half a ton, and each half ton the Government will contend was weighed thirteen pounds short, by the secret manipulations of Government

employees, who it is charged, were cash by the sugar company for evasion of customs duties. If game ran properly, the Government stood to lose its duties on 5,880 pounds of sugar every hour.

As this steady flood of trucking ed across the scale, the checker stood next to the weigher was busy, said Fragner, to watch John J. Loughran, a checker, weighed if all the entries to which he had fixed represented weights he had the weigher find.

"Not all," he admitted.

times I had to be away." The cross-examiners were to shake the testimony of Andrew Mallen, the clerk who swore James F. Bender, formerly a checker for the sugar company, paid at his office to customs employees to underweigh.

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All information indicates a cold and disagreeable January and February, and its well to secure your wants while our lines are so strong. WE CONTINUE OUR UNDERPRICED VALUES IN TAILORED SUITS, \$9.98, \$12.50, \$14.98 and \$19.50. You will find they are 25 to 33 per cent less than any other store will sell them, and you'll find the make and styles so much better that you can make your decision quick. All long coats, all our celebrated makes of the new Mary Gordon Capes, as well as our entire stock of Beautiful Tailored skirts, will continue on sale at SALE PRICES.

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A New Disease Attacks Grapefruit and Oranges

Press Bulletin 131, by Prof. H. S. Fawcett of the Florida Agricultural Experiment Station, calls attention to a new disease which has attacked grapefruit, oranges and tangerines in some sections of this State. Following is the article relative to this new enemy of citrus fruits, and it should be carefully read by every grower:

"A new soft-rot has this year made its appearance in a serious form on grapefruit, oranges and tangerines in a number of counties in Florida. At the present time it appears to be a disease which, if not checked, will destroy large quantities of fruit.

"This disease appears to attack full-sized fruits on the trees, after they have colored, and to cause them to drop. In some groves many of the grapefruit have been reported as dropping from this cause. The disease may also develop on the fruit after it is packed.

"The fruit first begins to soften and sink a little at the stem end, without the rind changing color. There is no blackening nor molding at first, and the softened peel remains intact over the softened interior. The softening proceeds inward along the fibers of the rag, and then outward into the pulp cells. At first the inside of the fruit remains almost unchanged in color; but, as the softening goes on the diseased pulp turns dull brown.

"This rotting, or softening, is quite different from the well-known citrus fruit-rot, due to the witherip fungus, or to common molds. In the rotting of mature fruit due to the witherip fungus the rind becomes darkened in brown sunken spots before the inside of the fruit is injured, if it is injured at all.

"In the rotting of citrus fruits due

to the *Penicillium* fungi, or molds, as they are usually called, a softening takes place, but it is not confined to the stem end. A moldy odor is perceptible; and, as the rotting progresses, a green or blue mat of fungus spores is produced.

"Microscopical examination of the diseased fruits showed that the softened tissue was filled with colorless fungus threads, which branched many times. This fungus is different from any yet found in connection with rotting citrus fruits, and it appears to be the cause of the peculiar softening. Infection experiments are in progress to prove this point.

"As the pathologist has not yet had an opportunity to make experiments in the control of this disease, he can give only a suggestion as to treatments. If the fungus enters while the fruit is on the tree, as seems probable, it is possible that spraying with ammoniacal solution of copper carbonate would be fairly effective in checking the dropping of fruit from this cause.

"In order to make a study of this disease, and to ascertain its severity and distribution, the Plant Pathologist desires to get specimens from as many localities as possible, and to receive all the information he can in regard to it. Any grower who is troubled with such a soft rotting of citrus fruits is requested to send two or three affected fruits to the Plant Pathologist, Agricultural Experiment Station, Gainesville, Fla. Everyone who will do so will be advised what to do for the trouble, as soon as results of the work are available."

A little want ad. will accomplish big results.

HONOR TO COL. MATHESON.

Selected to Deliver Memorial Address of Elks at Orlando.

From Friday's Daily Sun.

A great honor has been conferred upon Hon. Christopher Matheson of this city, a member of Gainesville Lodge No. 990, B. P. O. E., who has been invited to deliver the memorial address to Orlando Lodge No. 1079, B. P. O. E., at Orlando, next Sunday afternoon.

This is not only an honor upon Col. Matheson, but the lodge to which he belongs, and Gainesville lodge takes its hat off to the South Florida city.

Orlando has one of the largest and strongest lodges in the State, which occupies a magnificent club house. Its membership is composed of those among the best people of the city, and Col. Matheson was selected by a committee of that lodge, after careful consideration of many orators of the State.

The function will be a public one, and it is needless to add that a most interesting program has been arranged, as Orlando lodge never does anything by halves.

Col. Matheson expects to leave Gainesville tonight or tomorrow morning, and he will receive a warm welcome at the hands of his Orlando brethren.

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NICARAGUAN IS GIVEN HIS WALKING PAPERS

Secretary Knox Sends Charge D'Affaires From South American Republic His Passport.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Secretary Knox late yesterday returned the passports of the Nicaraguan charge d'affaires of the Nicaraguan government, with a letter scathingly denouncing the Zelayan administration and the government of Nicaragua. The charge is definitely declared to represent the views of President Taft, and is as plain-spoken as anything coming from the State Department in years.

The extraordinary feature of the letter is that it seems to evidence an action on the part of the United States to hold President Zelaya personally responsible for the alleged execution of the American Cannon and Groce, and exhibits the unique situation of one government holding the chief executive of another presidency as a common malefactor. Zelaya is branded as a violator of solemn international convention, a disturber of the national and international peace, a tyrant whose administration has been a blot upon the name of good government.

Secretary Knox virtually announces recognition of the Nicaraguan revolutionists, declares it to be the action of the United States that revolution represents the sentiment of a majority of the Nicaraguan people, and that there is evidently no possible government with which the United States can deal. He there-

fore announces that all parties will be held accountable for their actions as affecting the interests of Americans and the peace of Central America. He further informs Senor Rodriguez that while he has lost his diplomatic quality, he may still serve as an "unofficial" channel of communication with the faction which he is regarded as representing.

This brings the crisis as near to the status of war as it could be brought by executive action without a definite declaration by both houses of Congress, which will convene next Monday.

Mr. Knox' letter, in all but so many words, makes it plain that the action represents the wish and attitude of all of the Central American States, with the single exception of Honduras, which is regarded here as entirely dominated by Zelaya. Mexico has all along shown its sympathy with the United States in this matter.

Just what status the consular representatives of the United States now in Nicaragua now enjoy, was not definitely explained last night. It is expected, however, that Vice Consul Caldera, who has been occupying the legation in Managua, together with the other consuls in that country, will be given their passports today. This is the usual method of procedure in case of such action between governments.

BASKET BALL GAME.

Town Girls and High School Girls Entertained a Good Crowd.

From Saturday's Daily Sun:

There was a novel and interesting event at the ball park yesterday afternoon, the occasion being a game of basket ball between the Town Girls and High School Girls.

The score resulted in favor of the High School, being 17 to 14. Both teams played good ball, however, and all who attended were well pleased.

Judging from the noise at intervals, it was evident that both teams had their friends and supporters in the bleachers.

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An Early Morning Blaze.

An alarm of fire was turned in from Box 36 at 5:30 o'clock Thursday morning, which summoned the department to the cottage owned by B. F. Hampton and occupied by Prof. Hochstrasser and family, corner of E. Church street and North University streets.

Notwithstanding the early hour, a large crowd whose nerves had probably been unstrung by the alarm Wednesday evening, were present. They discovered the kitchen, which is connected to the cottage by a short porch, to be on fire, and at once began to assist in removing the furniture and household effects.

Water was soon secured, however, and the flames were extinguished after burning a portion of the kitchen, as well as a part of the roof of the main building.

The damage will be about \$200, which is fully covered by insurance.

A sprained ankle will usually disable the injured person for three or four weeks. This is due to lack of proper treatment. When Chamberlain's Liniment is applied a cure may be effected in three or four days. This liniment is one of the best and most remarkable preparations in use. Sold by all druggists.

Arrested a Negro.

Deputy Sheriff Bruton arrested a negro at Campville going under the name of H. Maxwell, but who is wanted by the Marion county authorities under the name of Ben Jones. When arrested the negro admitted that he was the man wanted. He was brought to this city and placed in jail, and Friday was taken to Ocala in the custody of Deputy Sheriff Hudson, where he will be compelled to face several charges.

Many persons find themselves affected with a persistent cough after an attack of influenza. As this cough can be promptly cured by the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, it should not be allowed to run on until it becomes troublesome. Sold by all druggists.

Will Go to Washington.

From Friday's Daily Sun:

Col. and Mrs. E. G. Baxter expect to leave today for Washington, where they will remain until after Christmas.

Col. Baxter, one of Gainesville's leading young attorneys, is also serving as private secretary to Senator Fletcher, which requires his absence from the city a great deal of the time.

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A Tampa woman has secured an injunction forbidding her husband coming home; while out in West Florida a wife has gone to court for an order to keep her hubby home at nights. Great is the power of the judiciary, and wonderful indeed are the demands of the "weak sex."—Palatka Times-Herald.

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The local camp, Woodmen of the World, held an interesting meeting Wednesday night, which was largely attended, and at which the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

S. L. Gerdine, council commander; Dr. C. Guy Mixson, advisor lieutenant; J. Fletcher Burnett, banker; Dr. J. M. Dell, Jr., clerk; W. H. Guns, escort; J. B. Brooks, watchman; D. R. Mixson, secretary; J. Manasse, manager.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that four weeks after the first publication, to-wit on the 13th day of December, 1909, Letters of Administration on the estate of Emma Ralford, deceased, will be granted to A. E. Summers on application for the same, or to some other fit person. H. G. MASON, Nov. 11th, 1909. County Judge.



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Georgia Mob Burns Negro Murderer at the Stake

CHRA, Ga., Dec. 2.—John Harvard, a negro preacher, who shot and injured Will D. Booth, two from this place late yesterday noon, was captured by a mob of citizens five miles from here tonight at 10 o'clock and burned at the stake, more than a carload of light, it is stated, being heaped about the fire.

Booth is a well-known business man in Hawkinsville, and was en route to an automobile when the shooting occurred. He drove up behind Harvard, who was in front of a wagon. Harvard charged Booth's machine frightened his horse. He drew a pistol after a few minutes and fired upon Booth, three taking effect. Booth returned the fire, and it was learned after the shooting that he carried three bullets, but neither struck vital parts, and he easily made his escape. He was found in a barn three miles from the place where the shooting occurred.

Booth was brought to this place immediately after the shooting. Surgeons last night gave out the statement that there was little hope for his recovery. He has a wife and several children.

Officers from Hawkinsville in automobiles and carrying track hounds went immediately to the scene of the shooting, but a party of enraged citizens was quickly formed and trailed the negro on horseback to his hiding place. He showed fight, but was suffering so severely from the effects of his injuries until he could offer but little resistance. He freely admitted the shooting, and it is stated justified his action by the fact that Booth's automobile frightened his mules. Harvard was given an opportunity to pray, after which he was securely bound with chains to an improvised stake. The fuel was piled high above his head, and the torch applied. The roaring of the flames prevented sound being audible, if any escaped the man's lips.

If you want a cook try a want ad.

Government Expects to Collect \$15,000,000

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—It is estimated that there will have been collected from the special corporation tax by July 1, 1910, \$15,000,000, and an additional \$10,000,000 collected for the calendar year from July 1, 1909, to December 31, 1909, will be collected subsequent to January 1, 1910, making the estimate for total amount of the collection for fiscal year 1910, \$25,000,000.

This way Commissioner of Internal Revenue Cabell in his annual report made public yesterday discussed the corporation tax law.

also estimated that the receipts from corporations in 1911 will amount to \$25,000,000 and from all other sources to \$255,000,000, making a total of \$280,000,000. During the past year there was collected on distilled spirits \$128,315,181, on fermented liquor \$56,303,497, and on tobacco, \$51,787,178.

Beer production has decreased and tobacco and snuff manufacture has increased. There were 129,891,621 gallons of distilled spirits produced during the year, 6,000,000 more than the previous year.

For the first three months of the current year as compared with the first three months of the last fiscal year, spirits increased \$1,791,272, tobacco \$756,718, fermented liquors \$365,749; oleomargarine, \$61,552; adulterated butter, \$6,024; process or renovated butter, \$12,916; filled cheese, playing cards, mixed flour, etc., \$22,345. The total estimated expenses of the service for the fiscal year ending 1911 is \$5,302,646, including \$60,000 for the corporation tax.

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NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

MATTERS OF GENERAL INTEREST SECURED BY SUN REPORTERS.

What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen—Personal and Social Items of the City.

From Friday's Daily Sun.

Don't miss the sale at the Racket Store, Alachua.

C. C. Strickland of Hague was trading in the city yesterday.

Great sale at the Racket Store, Alachua, Dec. 10 to 25th.

Mrs. J. N. Wood of Trenton was in the city yesterday, a guest of friends.

Lee Thomas, a well-known young man of Montecoa, was trading in the city yesterday.

W. A. Shaw and daughter, Miss Mary, were in the city from the Montecoa section yesterday.

A. U. Hilleary of Micanopy favored the county capital with a visit yesterday. Mr. Hilleary does not come often, and his friends are always glad to welcome him.

John Nichols of Windsor was in the city yesterday. Mr. Nichols owns a nice grove, and is preparing to pack his fruit for shipment. It was for the purpose of purchasing orange wraps that he came to town.

James Hague of the town which bears his name was in the city yesterday. Mr. Hague expects to begin grinding cane soon, and came to purchase a couple of kettles and other material for the occasion.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. McKinstry, Jr., who have been residing in East Church street for some time, are removing to the Mrs. Annie Brown home, West Main street, N., where Dr. McKinstry has his office, and where he will be more convenient to his night practice.

Dr. J. H. Colson made a professional visit to Rochelle yesterday. Dr. Colson, who so far is treating the only case of pronounced pellagra in this section of the State at Rochelle, states that the patient is getting along nicely, and he believes will come out of the disease safely.

Mrs. Colwell, who has been in for the past few days at the home of Captain and Mrs. A. R. Elmore, has sufficiently recovered to be about again, and is now located at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Landers. Friends of this lady will be glad to learn that her normal health will soon be restored.

Deputy Sheriff Bruton, one of Sheriff Ramsey's most efficient lieutenants, has returned from the East End, where he has been on official business. It appears that there has been some misunderstanding regarding encroachments upon certain lands in that section of the county, but the matter was amicably adjusted upon Officer Bruton's arrival upon the scene.

Charles Granger, formerly of Melrose but now engaged in the mercantile business in a small village near Brunswick, Ga., is in the city. Mr. Granger came for the purpose of placing his mother, Mrs. Malinda Johnson, in the Sanitarium. Mrs. Johnson has been suffering from drowsy for the past few weeks, but friends hope that the attention paid her here will soon restore her to normal health.

Mr. and Mrs. James Malcolm Gardner and son, Charley, of Chatham, Ont., who have been spending several days at their place in North Gainesville and visiting their many friends in the city, left Wednesday noon for their winter home in Miami. Their good friends here regret that the charms of the White City are strong enough to draw these good people away from Gainesville, where they spent two winters.

From Saturday's Daily Sun.

Be in Alachua Friday. Great attraction at Racket Store.

John Cauthen of LaCrosse was trading in the city yesterday.

O. F. Williams of Archer was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Frank McDavid of Montecoa was among those who came to the county capital on business yesterday.

R. F. Pridgion of Lottville was in the city yesterday, having come on business connected with the United States land office.

Mrs. F. E. Carraway of Donnie was

in the city yesterday. She came to make final proof of homestead in the United States land office.

Wallace Waters of Hickman arrived in the city yesterday, and will spend the next two or three days here on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Rosa Waters.

Clarence Lindsay and Mr. Proctor of Bronson were among the visitors to this city yesterday. Both are well-known business men of Levy county's hustling capital.

J. R. Smith of Trenton was trading in the city yesterday. Mr. Smith's numerous friends will regret to learn that he is not enjoying very good health at this time.

Chas. Halle of Alachua, one of the county's oldest and most highly respected citizens, is in the city, having been summoned on account of the illness of James Chesnut.

Dr. J. Harrison Hodges has returned from a professional visit to Micanopy. He reports the illness of Mrs. N. B. Mott, which will be sad news to the lady's friends in Gainesville.

W. J. Slaughter, E. S. Mathis and C. C. Wilkerson of Bell were in the city yesterday on business with the United States land office. The Sun acknowledges a pleasant call from the gentlemen.

W. W. and Bartley Thomas and J. H. Hines, all of Rocky Creek, near LaCrosse, were trading in the city yesterday. They report a fine rain in that section Thursday, hence they were happy.

D. L. Prevatt and J. O. Harrold, two well-known planters of the LaCrosse section, were trading in the city yesterday. They report a good rain Thursday, which came as a blessing to the farmers.

Dr. E. B. Howell and D. G. Roland of Newberry were among those who spent yesterday in Gainesville. Mr. Howell is a leading physician, while Mr. Roland is a member of the firm of Tucker & Roland, general merchants.

O. G. Barker, a prominent merchant and cotton buyer of Lottville, arrived in this city yesterday. He has been suffering from the effects of muscular rheumatism, and came for treatment. Friends hope that his condition will soon improve.

Miss Mamie Wilcox of Wilcox, after a pleasant visit to Miss Christine Richards in this city, left last night for Lake Butler, where she will visit friends. Miss Wilcox formerly resided here, and her numerous friends are always glad to welcome her.

J. G. Osteen of Donnie, formerly a member of the board of county commissioners, and one of the most widely-known men in the West End, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Osteen does not visit Gainesville often, but his friends are always glad to see him.

E. K. Rosborough of Windsor, but who is traveling out of Jacksonville as the representative of J. H. McLaurin Company, was in the city yesterday. He was en route to his home on Newnan's lake, where he will spend Sunday with his parents, Hon. and Mrs. J. A. Rosborough.

Mrs. Albert W. Bensch and daughter, Miss Hazel, of Bangor, Me., have arrived in the city and are pleasantly located at the White House. Mrs. Benson is a sister of Mrs. E. M. Boynton, who has been here for several months, and the ladies of Gainesville will take pleasure in extending her and her charming daughter a cordial welcome.

From Sunday's Daily Sun.

S. F. Walts of Grove Park was trading in the city yesterday.

Join the crowd at the Racket Store, Alachua, Friday, the opening day of sale.

Robert Brown, postmaster at Grove Park, was a business visitor to this city yesterday.

Chas. Neal, a well-known planter of the Jonesville section, was trading in the city yesterday.

Robert Coulter, who conducts the railroad restaurant at Rochelle, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Mrs. R. M. Chamberlin of Tacoma returned to her home yesterday after a pleasant visit to Mrs. J. M. Graham in this city.

Constant Thomas, who is regarded as one of the most successful farmers of the Archer section, was trading in the city yesterday.

Mrs. M. E. Tidd has gone to Waldo on professional business, having been called to the bedside of Mrs. W. G. Bailey, who is very ill.

John Chesnut returned last night

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